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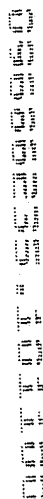
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# APPLICATION FOR LETTERS PATENT

Be it known that Mr. Frederic L. Way II, of 720 Gilead Street, Hebron, CT 06248; Mr. Steven K. Walton, of 315 Deer Ridge Road, Townshend, VT 05353; and Mr. David L. Newton, of 67 Ridgewood Avenue, Keene, New Hampshire 03431-2805, all citizens of the United States of America, have invented a new and useful article of manufacture a GRAVITY DRIVEN STEERABLE VEHICLE of which the following is a specification therefor.